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Art Unit	1632
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(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____iii. ☐ Other _____b. ☒ Enclosedi. ☒ Amendment/Replyii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)iv. ☒ Other Petition for extension of time; and, _____

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2. Miscellaneousa. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)b. ☐ Other _____3. Fees

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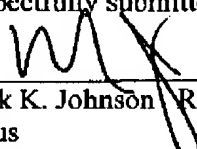
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For: A Compound Containing a Labile Disulfide Bond

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. '1.111

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated February 23, 2004. Kindly amend the application as follows: